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**REPLY AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Sir:

The following is intended to be a fully responsive to the Final Office Action mailed August 21, 2006 ("the Office Action"). The undersigned respectfully requests reconsideration of the rejections in view of the amendments and arguments presented herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Conclusion** begins on page 11 of this paper.